

The Republican continuing resolution also cuts education programs 19 percent below the President's request. Funding for education reform is cut by 40 percent. Funding for safe and drug-free schools is cut by 40 percent. Funding for bilingual education is cut by 51 percent. Funding for research on special education is cut by 25 percent. These proposals are extreme.

In my view, rather than a highly partisan and ideological continuing resolution, a bipartisan approach would better serve the American people.

Mr. Speaker, let us vote on a clear and fair continuing resolution. Stop the blackmail.

□ 1845

Mr. ARCHER. Mr. Speaker, I move the previous question on the motion.

The previous question was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Texas [Mr. ARCHER].

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. GIBBONS. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 223, nays 184, not voting 25, as follows:

[Roll No. 788]

YEAS—223

Allard	Crapo	Hayworth
Archer	Cremeans	Hefley
Army	Cubin	Heineman
Bachus	Cunningham	Herger
Baker (CA)	Deal	Hilleary
Baker (LA)	DeLay	Hobson
Ballenger	Diaz-Balart	Hoekstra
Barr	Dickey	Hoke
Barrett (NE)	Doolittle	Horn
Bartlett	Dreier	Hostettler
Barton	Duncan	Houghton
Bass	Dunn	Hunter
Bateman	Ehlers	Hutchinson
Bereuter	Ehrlich	Hyde
Bilbray	Emerson	Inglis
Bilirakis	English	Istook
Bliley	Ensign	Johnson (CT)
Boehlert	Everett	Johnson, Sam
Boehner	Ewing	Jones
Bonilla	Fawell	Kasich
Bono	Fields (TX)	Kelly
Brownback	Flanagan	Kim
Bryant (TN)	Foley	King
Bunn	Fowler	Kingston
Bunning	Fox	Klug
Burr	Franks (CT)	Knollenberg
Burton	Franks (NJ)	Kolbe
Buyer	Frelinghuysen	LaHood
Callahan	Frisa	Largent
Calvert	Funderburk	Latham
Camp	Ganske	LaTourette
Canady	Gekas	Laughlin
Castle	Gilcrest	Lazio
Chabot	Gillmor	Leach
Chambliss	Gilman	Lewis (CA)
Chenoweth	Goodlatte	Lewis (KY)
Christensen	Goodling	Lightfoot
Chrysler	Goss	Linder
Clinger	Graham	Livingston
Coble	Greenwood	LoBiondo
Coburn	Gunderson	Longley
Collins (GA)	Gutknecht	Lucas
Combest	Hancock	Manzullo
Cooley	Hansen	Martini
Cox	Hastert	McCollum
Crane	Hastings (WA)	McCrery

McDade	Quinn	Spence
McHugh	Radanovich	Stearns
McInnis	Ramstad	Stockman
McIntosh	Regula	Stump
McKeon	Riggs	Talent
Metcalfe	Roberts	Tate
Meyers	Rogers	Taylor (NC)
Mica	Rohrabacher	Thomas
Miller (FL)	Ros-Lehtinen	Thornberry
Molinar	Roth	Tiahrt
Moorhead	Roukema	Torkildsen
Morella	Royce	Upton
Myers	Salmon	Vucanovich
Myrick	Sanford	Walker
Nethercutt	Saxton	Walsh
Neumann	Schaefer	Wamp
Ney	Schiff	Watts (OK)
Norwood	Seastrand	Weldon (FL)
Nussle	Sensenbrenner	Weldon (PA)
Oxley	Shadegg	Weller
Packard	Shaw	White
Parker	Shays	Whitfield
Paxon	Shuster	Wicker
Petri	Skeen	Wolf
Pombo	Smith (MI)	Young (AK)
Porter	Smith (NJ)	Young (FL)
Portman	Smith (TX)	Zimmer
Pryce	Solomon	
Quillen	Souder	

NAYS—184

Abercrombie	Frost	Nadler
Ackerman	Furse	Obey
Andrews	Gejdenson	Olver
Baessler	Gephardt	Ortiz
Baldacci	Geren	Orton
Barcia	Gibbons	Owens
Barrett (WI)	Gonzalez	Pallone
Becerra	Gordon	Pastor
Beilenson	Green	Payne (NJ)
Bentsen	Gutierrez	Payne (VA)
Berman	Hall (OH)	Pelosi
Bevill	Hall (TX)	Peterson (FL)
Bishop	Hamilton	Peterson (MN)
Bonior	Harman	Pickett
Borski	Hastings (FL)	Pomeroy
Boucher	Hayes	Poshard
Brewster	Hefner	Rahall
Browder	Hilliard	Rangel
Brown (CA)	Hinchey	Richardson
Brown (FL)	Holden	Rivers
Brown (OH)	Hoyer	Roemer
Bryant (TX)	Jackson-Lee	Rose
Cardin	Jacobs	Roybal-Allard
Chapman	Jefferson	Rush
Clay	Johnson (SD)	Sabo
Clayton	Johnson, E. B.	Sanders
Clement	Johnston	Sawyer
Clyburn	Kanjorski	Schroeder
Coleman	Kaptur	Schumer
Collins (IL)	Kennedy (RI)	Scott
Collins (MI)	Kennelly	Sisisky
Condit	Kildee	Skaggs
Conyers	Klecza	Skelton
Costello	Klink	Slaughter
Coyne	LaFalce	Spratt
Cramer	Lantos	Stark
Danner	Levin	Stenholm
Davis	Lewis (GA)	Studds
de la Garza	Lincoln	Stupak
DeFazio	Lipinski	Tanner
DeLauro	Lofgren	Taylor (MS)
Dellums	Lowe	Tejeda
Deutsch	Luther	Thompson
Dicks	Maloney	Thornton
Dingell	Manton	Thurman
Dixon	Martinez	Torres
Doggett	Mascara	Torricelli
Dooley	Matsui	Towns
Doyle	McCarthy	Traficant
Durbin	McDermott	Velazquez
Edwards	McHale	Vento
Engel	McNulty	Visclosky
Eshoo	Meek	Ward
Evans	Menendez	Waters
Farr	Mfume	Watt (NC)
Fattah	Miller (CA)	Wilson
Fazio	Minge	Wise
Filner	Mink	Woolsey
Flake	Mollohan	Wyden
Foglietta	Montgomery	Wynn
Forbes	Moran	
Ford	Murtha	

NOT VOTING—25

Blute	Galleghy	Meehan
Dornan	Kennedy (MA)	Moakley
Fields (LA)	Markey	Neal
Frank (MA)	McKinney	Oberstar

Reed	Tauzin	Williams
Scarborough	Tucker	Yates
Serrano	Volkmer	Zeliff
Smith (WA)	Waldholtz	
Stokes	Waxman	

□ 1803

The Clerk announced the following pairs:

On this vote:

Mrs. Smith of Washington for, with Mr. Moakley against.

Mr. Dornan for, with Mr. Stokes against.

Messrs. MCHUGH, EWING, and HOKE changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the motion was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

EXTENDING FEDERAL POWER ACT DEADLINE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THREE ARKANSAS HYDRO-ELECTRIC PROJECTS

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. KOLBE). The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 657.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Colorado [Mr. SCHAEFER], that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 657, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 404, nays 0, not voting 28, as follows:

[Roll No 789]

YEAS—404

Abercrombie	Bryant (TX)	DeFazio
Ackerman	Bunn	DeLauro
Allard	Bunning	DeLay
Andrews	Burr	Dellums
Archer	Burton	Deutsch
Armey	Buyer	Diaz-Balart
Bachus	Callahan	Dickey
Baessler	Calvert	Dicks
Baker (CA)	Canady	Dingell
Baker (LA)	Cardin	Dixon
Baldacci	Castle	Doggett
Ballenger	Chabot	Dooley
Barcia	Chambliss	Doolittle
Barr	Chapman	Doyle
Barrett (NE)	Chenoweth	Dreier
Barrett (WI)	Christensen	Duncan
Bartlett	Chrysler	Dunn
Barton	Clayton	Durbin
Bass	Clement	Ehlers
Bateman	Clinger	Ehrlich
Becerra	Clyburn	Emerson
Beilenson	Coble	Engel
Bentsen	Coburn	English
Bereuter	Coleman	Ensign
Berman	Collins (GA)	Eshoo
Bevill	Collins (IL)	Evans
Bilbray	Collins (MI)	Everett
Bilirakis	Combest	Ewing
Bishop	Condit	Farr
Bliley	Conyers	Fattah
Boehlert	Cooley	Fawell
Boehner	Costello	Fazio
Bonilla	Cox	Fields (TX)
Bonior	Coyne	Filner
Bono	Cramer	Flake
Borski	Crane	Flanagan
Boucher	Crapo	Foglietta
Brewster	Cremeans	Foley
Browder	Cubin	Forbes
Brown (CA)	Cunningham	Ford
Brown (FL)	Danner	Fowler
Brown (OH)	Davis	Fox
Brownback	de la Garza	Franks (CT)
Bryant (TN)	Deal	Frelinghuysen

Frisa	Lightfoot	Rogers
Frost	Lincoln	Rohrabacher
Funderburk	Linder	Ros-Lehtinen
Furse	Lipinski	Rose
Ganske	Livingston	Roth
Gejdenson	LoBiondo	Roukema
Gekas	Lofgren	Roybal-Allard
Gephardt	Longley	Royce
Geren	Lowey	Rush
Gibbons	Lucas	Sabo
Gilchrest	Luther	Salmon
Gillmor	Maloney	Sanders
Gilman	Manton	Sanford
Gonzalez	Manzullo	Sawyer
Goodlatte	Martinez	Schaefer
Goodling	Martini	Schiff
Gordon	Mascara	Schroeder
Goss	Matsui	Schumer
Graham	McCarthy	Scott
Green	McCollum	Seastrand
Greenwood	McCrery	Sensenbrenner
Gunderson	McDade	Serrano
Gutierrez	McDermott	Shadegg
Gutknecht	McHale	Shaw
Hall (OH)	McHugh	Shays
Hall (TX)	McInnis	Shuster
Hamilton	McIntosh	Sisisky
Hancock	McKeon	Skaggs
Hansen	McKinney	Skeen
Harman	McNulty	Skelton
Hastert	Meek	Slaughter
Hastings (FL)	Menendez	Smith (MI)
Hastings (WA)	Metcalfe	Smith (NJ)
Hayes	Meyers	Smith (TX)
Hayworth	Mfume	Solomon
Hefley	Mica	Souder
Hefner	Miller (CA)	Spence
Heineman	Miller (FL)	Spratt
Herger	Minge	Stark
Hilleary	Mink	Stearns
Hilliard	Molinari	Stenholm
Hinchey	Mollohan	Stockman
Hobson	Montgomery	Stokes
Hoekstra	Moorhead	Studds
Hoke	Moran	Stump
Holden	Morella	Stupak
Horn	Murtha	Talent
Hostettler	Myers	Tanner
Houghton	Myrick	Tate
Hoyer	Nadler	Taylor (MS)
Hunter	Nethercutt	Taylor (NC)
Hutchinson	Neumann	Tejeda
Hyde	Ney	Thomas
Inglis	Norwood	Thompson
Istook	Nussle	Thornberry
Jackson-Lee	Obey	Thornton
Jacobs	Olver	Thurman
Jefferson	Ortiz	Tiahrt
Johnson (CT)	Orton	Torkildsen
Johnson (SD)	Owens	Torres
Johnson, E. B.	Oxley	Torricelli
Johnson, Sam	Packard	Towns
Johnston	Pallone	Traffant
Jones	Parker	Upton
Kanjorski	Pastor	Velazquez
Kaptur	Paxon	Vento
Kelly	Payne (NJ)	Visclosky
Kennedy (RI)	Payne (VA)	Vucanovich
Kennelly	Pelosi	Walker
Kildee	Peterson (FL)	Walsh
Kim	Peterson (MN)	Wamp
King	Petri	Ward
Kingston	Pickett	Waters
Klecza	Pombo	Watt (NC)
Klink	Pomeroy	Watts (OK)
Klug	Porter	Weldon (FL)
Knollenberg	Portman	Weldon (PA)
Kolbe	Poshard	Weller
LaFalce	Pryce	White
LaHood	Quillen	Whitfield
Lantos	Quinn	Wicker
Largent	Radanovich	Wilson
Latham	Rahall	Wise
LaTourette	Ramstad	Wolf
Laughlin	Rangel	Woolsey
Lazio	Regula	Wyden
Leach	Richardson	Wynn
Levin	Riggs	Young (AK)
Lewis (CA)	Rivers	Young (FL)
Lewis (GA)	Roberts	Zimmer
Lewis (KY)	Roemer	

NOT VOTING—28

Blute	Frank (MA)	Meehan
Camp	Franks (NJ)	Moakley
Clay	Galleghy	Neal
Dornan	Kasich	Oberstar
Edwards	Kennedy (MA)	Reed
Fields (LA)	Markey	Saxton

Scarborough	Volkmer	Yates
Smith (WA)	Waldholtz	Zeliff
Tauzin	Waxman	
Tucker	Williams	

□ 1822

So (two-thirds having voted in the favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BLUTE. Mr. Speaker, due to the cancellation and rescheduling of my flight from Boston, I was not present for rollcall votes 788 and 789. Had I been present I would have voted "aye" on rollcall 788 and "aye" on rollcall 789. I ask unanimous consent that this statement appear in the RECORD in the appropriate places.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. (Mr. KOLBE). Pursuant to clause 5, rule I, the pending business is the question de novo of agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal of the last day's proceedings.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

REQUEST TO DISCHARGE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 118, FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 1996

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Appropriations be discharged from further consideration of House Joint Resolution 118, a clean continuing resolution, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the guidelines that have been consistently issued and followed by this Speaker and previous Speakers of the House, and procedures recorded on page 534 of the House Rules Manual, the Chair is constrained not to entertain the gentleman's request until it has been cleared by the bipartisan floor and committee leaderships.

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I hope it is cleared by the other side sometime tonight.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF INTENTION TO OFFER MOTION TO INSTRUCT ON H.R. 2126, DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1996

Mr. METCALF. Mr. Speaker, pursuant the provisions of rule 28, clause 1(c), I am announcing that tomorrow I will offer a motion to instruct the

House conferees on the bill, H.R. 2126, to insist on sections 8102 and 8111 of the House-passed bill.

As an explanation, by serving this notice I am ensuring the opportunity tomorrow to move to instruct the defense appropriation conferees to insist on the language that was in the House bill when it passed this body relative to Bosnia. This language would make certain that the President does not move ground troops into Bosnia without House approval, unless he comes before this body and explains thoroughly what the objective is, what vital United States interests are involved, et cetera.

LEGISLATION PROVIDING FOR INCREASE IN THE PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (H. DOC. NO. 104-133)

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following message from the President of the United States; which was read and, together with the accompanying papers, without objection, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

To the Congress of the United States:

In disapproving H.R. 2586, a bill that would have, among other things, provided for a temporary increase in the public debt, I stated my desire to approve promptly a simple increase in the debt limit. Accordingly, I am forwarding the enclosed legislation that would provide for such an increase.

I urge the Congress to act on this legislation promptly and to return it to me for signing.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, November 13, 1995.

INQUIRING AS TO SCHEDULE FOR THE EVENING

(Mr. GEPHARDT asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. GEPHARDT. Mr. Speaker, I would just hope that the majority would give Members a sense, as soon as it can be done, as to what the plan is for the rest of the evening.

By other sources, I have seen the Speaker make a comment that we would be here into the evening and we might have votes on other matters. There may be motions on a new CR, there may be motions on adjournment at some point.

I would just inform my own Members that I think they need to stay in the House and be ready for whatever happens this evening. I would ask the majority to try to inform the rest of us as soon as something is known.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. GEPHARDT. I yield to the gentleman from Maryland.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I thank the leader for making this point.